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Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control

### Item 483

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| <b>Alcoholic Beverage Merchandising (80100)</b>                             | <b>\$215,103,175</b> | <b>\$215,097,903</b> |
| Alcoholic Beverage Management Services (80101)                              | \$10,050,433         | \$10,050,433         |
| Alcoholic Beverage Purchasing, Warehousing, Distribution, and Sales (80102) | \$205,052,742        | \$205,047,470        |
| Fund Sources:   |                      |                      |
| Enterprise  | \$215,103,175        | \$215,097,903        |

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Authority: §§ 4-1 through 4-118.2, Code of Virginia.

A. The Auditor of Public Accounts and the State Comptroller shall review the automated point-of-sale cash register system being developed by the Department to ensure the system complies with the Commonwealth's auditing and accounting standards.

B. The Alcoholic Beverage Control Board shall direct the timely correction of the audit deficiencies cited by the Auditor of Public Accounts for the year ending June 30, 1993. The adequacy of corrective action shall be reviewed semi-annually by the Auditor of Public Accounts who shall report his findings to the Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission.

C. Not later than September 1, 1996, the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control shall report to the Chairmen of the House Appropriations and Senate Finance Committees on the criteria to be used to determine whether the warehouse operation should be outsourced, privatized or liquidated and whether or not the facility should be retained, sold or sold and leased back. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control shall not privatize or outsource the operation of its warehouse nor may the administrative office building, including the warehouse, be declared surplus or sold without the approval of the General Assembly, *unless any of these actions result in increased profits to be distributed to localities. This provision shall not restrict the agency from pursuing request for proposals to evaluate the profitability of privatization or outsourcing.*